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In re Application of:
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For: FULL-LENGTH GB VIRUS C
(HEPATITIS G VIRUS) RNA
TRANSCRIPTS ARE INFECTIOUS IN
PRIMARY CD4 POSITIVE T CELLS
AND METHODS OF TREATING HIV

Group Art Unit: 1648

Examiner: Winkler, Ulrike

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Applicants hereby submit the formal drawings for the above-referenced application and request that these drawings be accepted for filing.

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